GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH <u>ABSTRACT</u>

Endowments Department – Irregularities committed by certain officials of Endowments Department in granting rights for collection of lotus flowers from Sree Bhardwaja Theertham Temple pond and sale of the same to devotees at the premises decided by Sri Kalahasteeswara Swamy Vari Devasthanam, Srikalahasthi - Initiation of disciplinary action under Rule 20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991 - Appointment of Presenting Officer – Orders – Issued.

REVENUE (VIG.IV.1) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 1553

Dated the 1st of November, 2012. Read the following:

- 1) G.O.Rt.No.1341, Revenue (Vig.IV) Department, dt.10.11.2011.
- 2) G.O.Rt.No.1342, Revenue (Vig.IV) Department, dt.10.11.2011.
- 3) G.O.Rt.No.1343, Revenue (Vig.IV) Department, dt.10.11.2011.
- 4) From Sri C.Prem Kumar, the then Executive Officer, Written Statement of Defence, dt.24.01.2012.
- 5) From Sri N.Soma Sekhar, the then Executive Officer, Written Statement of Defence, dt.09.12.2011.
- 6) From Sri G.V.Narasimha Murthy, Additional Commissioner, Endowments Department (Retired), Written Statement of Defence, dt.20.01.2012.

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ORDER:

Whereas, an inquiry under Rule 20 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991 is being held against the following officials of Endowments Department for the irregularities committed in granting rights for collection of lotus flowers from Sree Bhardwaja Theertham Temple pond and sale of the same to devotees at the premises decided by Sri Kalahasteeswara Swamy Vari Devasthanam, Srikalahasthi:-

- 1) Sri C.Prem Kumar, former Executive Officer presently Joint Commissioner.
- 2) Sri N.Soma Sekhar, former Executive Officer presently working as Regional Joint Commissioner, Endowments Department, Multi-Zone-I, Kakinada.
- 3) Sri G.V.Narasimha Murthy, former Executive Officer presently Additional Commissioner (Retired).
- 2. And whereas, it is considered that a Presenting Officer should be appointed to present the case on behalf of the Disciplinary Authority in support of the Articles of Charges framed against the above said Officers.
- 3. Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred under Sub-Rule (5) (c) of Rule 20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (CCA) Rules, 1991 hereby appoint Ms.K.Sridevi, Advocate as Presenting Officer to present the case on behalf of the Disciplinary Authority in support of the Articles of Charges framed against the above said Officers.
- 4. Copies of the Article of Charges framed and the Written Statements of Defence submitted by the Charged Officers are enclosed.

(P.T.O.)

5. The Commissioner, Endowments Department, Hyderabad shall furnish all other required materials to the Presenting Officer immediately.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

CHITRA RAMCHANDRAN PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

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Ms.K.Sridevi, Advocate as Presenting Officer, Flat No.302, Poornima Mansion, St.No.7, Vidyanagar, Hyderabad-500044.

Sri Lingaraj Panigrahi, I.A.S.,

Commissioner of Inquiries as Inquiring Authority,

General Administration Department.

- Sri C.Prem Kumar, former Executive Officer presently Joint Commissioner **through** the Commissioner, Endowments Department, Hyderabad.
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- Sri G.V.Narasimha Murthy, former Executive Officer presently Additional Commissioner (Retired) **through** the Commissioner, Endowments Department, Hyderabad.

The Commissioner, Endowments Department, A.P., Hyderabad. Copy to:

The P.S. to Principal Secretary (Endowments). The File.

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SECTION OFFICER